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Thinking Out Loud

YOUR VOTE DOES COUNT

If someone with a lot of enterprise and energy were to take a poll of all persons who did not vote in the last national election and ask them why they did not vote, the answers would probably be something like this: "I just didn't think my vote would make much difference one way or the other in such a big election."

Even in a democracy where one man's vote counts as much as another, and where national elections have been decided several times in the past by a mere handful of voters, this type of thinking still prevails among many persons. Nothing could be further from the truth. Let us examine a few close elections in our country's history for proof.

In 1884, New York state, which then had an electoral vote of only 36 as compared to its present 47, was the deciding state in the contest between Grover Cleveland, the Democratic candidate, and James G. Blaine, the Republican candidate. Cleveland polled 561,154 votes to Blaine's 562,005, which gave him a plurality of 1,149.

If a majority of these 1149 voters —or 575—had voted for Blaine instead of Cleveland, the Republican candidate would have had a plularity of one vote over his opponent and New York would have gone Republican. It is easy to see from these figures that a few votes make a lot of difference in some elections.

In 1916 with the United States closer and closer to the war raging in Europe, the November election was the closest in many years. Wilson, running for a second term against Charles Hughes, the Republican candidate. went to bed late election night apparently a defeated man. The electoral vote stood thus: Republicans 254, Democrats 264. The report was, however, that California where the outcome was in doubt, would go Republican. That meant that California's 13 electoral votes would be added to the Republican total of 254. making 267 or enough to carry the election.

Not until the next day did the election count in the western state show that the Democrats won by 466, 200 to 462,394—a plurality of only 3,806. A smitch of 1,904 Democratic voters in California to the Republican side in this election would have meant that Charles Hughes would have been the war president instead of Wilson.

Hardly a day goes by that the newspapers do not report an election in some community so close that a shift of only a few votes would change the result. The balance of power in many an important issue threefore often is vested in one or two persons.

It is not likely that as a voter you will be the deciding factor in this or any other election. But the fact remains that individual votes do make up the total and the total decides the election. And your vote counts as much as anyone else's. It is not only your privilege, but your duty to vote Tuesday, November 7. As a good citizen you should do nothing less.

S. F. STUDIES PLAN FOR MINING CENTER

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 26—Feasibility of establishing in San Francisco a minerals industry building grouping all governmetnal agencies concerned with the mining industry is being studied by a sub committee of the newly organized San Francisco Chamber of Commerce mining committee, it was revealed today.

Among the agencies which would be housed in the proposed building are the state division of mines with its library and museum, the state oil and gas division, U. S. Bureau of Mines and U. S. Geological Survey.

Mindful of its historical association with the California mining industry, San Francisco is seeking to establish itself as the post war center of the mining industry, not only for the American west but for Alaska and the entire Pacific coast.

SHERIFF NOW HAS LOST AND FOUND DEPT.

Almost daily owners of stolen articles visit the sheriff's office in the court house to claim goods which they have missed from summer homes and cabins in the territory over which Big Bill Ebaugh roamed and, according to the sheriff, "lived off the land."

Ebaugh, much wanted on a charge of slaying of Henry Lewis on October 15th, since November has been dodging a warrant for his arrest on a charge of killing cattle. His hideout above Scotts Flat discovered where searchers were looking for the supposedly lost Henry Lewis, was emptied of its contents and hauled by the sheriff to storage in the court house. Now those persons who have missed sleeping bags, rubber boots, gasoline lanters, and almost everything in the way of food, weapons and furniture are calling at the sheriff's office to identify missing articles.

Among those who reported their houses robbed were M. L. Trosper of Oakland who has a summer home in Deer Creek Canyon, Charles Bodvar who has a home near Lake Vera, 4 miles north of Nevada City, Al Mcrfill, who lives on the Banner Road, Karl Wickstrom, residing on the extension of Boulder Street, whose wife's boots were found in Ebaugh's hideaway, Mrs. Isabel Rivetts of Sacmento, whose home at Pina Alta was robbed last summer, Bill Kistle, whose leather jacket was found in the Egaugh nest, and H. Sulliway who lives near Strawberry Joe's between Deer Creek and Slate Creek. A pair of high rubber boots from this home was found among Egaugh's loot.

These homes or cabins are scattered through the Grass Valley-Nevada City area some of them twenty miles distant from others, Ebaugh apparently was a tireless pedestrian and had a catholic taste for other people's puossession.

CAPTAIN JOHN SBAFFI COMING HOME FOR REST

Over long distance telephone Tuesday Mrs. John Sbaffi was thrilled to hear the voice of her son, Capt. John Sbaffi, wounded veteran, speaking from a base camp in Virginia. She learned thae her son is on leave after being twice wounded on the Italian front where he fought with General Mark Clark's Fifth Army.

Capt. Sbaffi entered service in the U. S. Army more than two years ago as a prviate. He was advanced rapidly through the non-commissioned ranks, finally receiving a promotion to commissioned officer.

He participated in the battles of Tunisia, Sicily and was among the first troops landed in Italy. In his long distance talk with his mother he stated he had been shell shocked as well as suffering physical wounds. In the battle for Casino, he was wounded but recovered and returned to service. His mother expects him home within a few days.

MRS. GEO. BARTON SUCCUMBS

Funeral services were held in Oakland yesterday for the late Mrs. Anita Alpine Barton, who passed away in a Nevada City hospital Sunday morning. Holmes and Myers Funeral Home of Grass Valley took charge of consigning the remains to the Truman Company. The services were held in that firm's chapel in Oakland with cremation to follow.

Mrs. Barton was an ative of Oakland, aged 56 years, and passed away following a week's illness. She leaves her husband, George E. Barton, ditchtender for the Nevada Irrigation District, and her father, Lincoln Brodt, both of Nevada City. She was a woman who devoted her time to her home and her garden. She and her husband had lived here but three months.

CANDIDATES FOR SECOND DISTRICT ARE COMPARED

By SEN. JERROLD L. SEAWELL
President Pro Tempore
California State Senate

One of the hottest and most interesting political fights now in progress is between State Senator Jesse M. Mayo of Calaveras County and Congressman Clair Engle of Red Bluff, which will be decided November 7.

It has been my privilege to have served with both men in the state senate and I have observed their ability as legislators. It is interesting to compare these men, as they are definite opposites as to type and personality. Senator Mayo is a serious minded, dogged type of individual who can wisecrack, but continues to play along until he has accomplished his purpose. He is regarded as a sound, constructive legislator with a record of 12 years of successful legislative activities.

Mr. Engle operated in a different manner as far as the state senate was concerned. I have not had the opportunity to see him in action in congress, so will confine my comparison to his state senate activities.

He is the vivacious type—a kind of happy go lucky nature — come what may, we will get along somehow. This type meets people well and does make friends quickly. It, however, does not necessarily reflect legislative ability. It is a type that places one's fellow legislators i nthe pecuiar position of liking an individual but never knowing what to expect as the serious side is unexpected for observation and its value undetermined; the net result being that this type does not gain the confidence of his fellow legislators and through this lack of confidence, his legislation and his district suffers.

To better express this statement it is interesting to quote from Huxley: "The most valuable of all education is the ability to make yourself do the thing you have to do when it has to be done, whether you like it or not." In order to do this, one must give serious attention to his work. That quotation expresses the Mayo type as compared to the Engle type of legislator.

To prove my comparison when I stated that the vivacious type does not gain confidence of fellow legislators let us check the state legislators in the Second Congressional District. They are the best judges, as they have served with both men in the legislature. There are seven state senators and two assemblymen representing both major parties. All of these legislators are supporting Senator Mayo in his campaign. They believe Senator Mayo is the best qualified for this office and their judgment is based on actual service with both candidates. They can not all be wrong.

FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS ENDORSE NO. 9

The executive board of the California State Federatio nof Women's Clubs, by a vote of 41 to 5, has endorsed Proposition 9, the Better Schools Act on the November ballot. it was announced today.

The action of the federation brought every major women's organization in the state behind the school amendment, as the California League of Women Voters, The California Congress of Parents and Teachers, and the California Business and Professional Women's clubs had previously endorsed the proposal.

In approving Proposition 9, the Federation of Women's Clubs rejected arguments presented by the California Taxpayers Association, purporting to show that the schools already were adequately financed, and went on record as favoring Proposition 9, to cope with the problem of teacherless classes, jammed classrooms and an acute shortage of the teaching personnel in the elementary schools. The proposal would increase state support of the grade schools from $60 tper child per year to $80.

NEVADA CITY PAPER DRIVE

Saturday morning at 9:30 o'clock two trucks in charge of Al Bates and Gordon Vance assisted by Nevada City Boy Scouts, troops Six and Twenty Four will canvas the town and pick up the waste paper for the war emergency. Earl Holbrooke has loaned two trucks and the paper depot will be in his warehouse on Spring Street.

Everyone please have your paper bundles on the side walk or curb so the boy scouts can pick them up.

MACBOYLE SUES HOSPITAL CORPS

Suit was filed Tuesday in the county clerk's office by Errol MacBoyle, executive vice president of the Idaho Maryland Mines Company, against the Grass Valley Memorial Hospital Corporation for $170,000 allegedly due MacBoyle under an agreement with the hospital corporation in which MacBoyle sold to the corporation 500,000 shares of Idaho Maryland at $10 a share.

The agreement made in October 1936, which was attached to the complaint, provided that quarterly payments should be made on the $5,000-000 worth of stock until 1954 when the entire amount would have been paid.

The complaint states that to date the hospital corporation is delinquent in its payments to the amount of $170,000.

At the time the agreement was made it is understood, that the dividends on the stock would be sufficient to pay out the indebtedness to MacBoyle by 1954, and at the same time finance construction and equipment of the hospital. However, due to the war and suspension of gold mining, dividends on Idaho Maryland stock was discontinued over a year ago.

The hospital structure was practically completed prior to the war and now stands on a hill on the Prisk Ranch, which was taken over by the corporation. No interior work, however, has been done.

William J. Cassettari, attorney for the plaintiff, states that suit is a friendly actio nintended to preserve the contract and provide for its continued operation after the war.

HIGH PROPORTION OF ABSENTEE BALLOTS VOTED

Ralph Deeble, deputy county clerk, reports that 464 absentee ballots mailed out on requests of service men of Nevada County, 350 have been returned as of October 24th. Since absentee ballots may be received and counted up till November 23rd, Deeble believes a very large proportion of the ballots mailed out will be voted.

EBAUGH NOW CHARGED WITH LEWIS MURDER

Sheriff Carl J. Tobiassen filed a complaint Tuesday afternoon formally charging William Ebaugh with the murder of Henry Lewis on October 15th. The complaint charges that Ebaugh "did wilfully, unlawfully and with malice aforethought. murder Henry Lewis, a human being."

Posthumous Award of Purple Heart Is Made

Lawrence E. Rickard has received from the War Department the purple heart award his son, Engene L. Rickard, posthumously. Rickard was killed in action on Saipan Island in the Pacific.

The news that his son was missing reached the father several monthe ago, followed by the official death notice in August. Eugene Rickard a graduate of the Nevada City High School had been in service almost a year in the U. S. Army when he died in battle.

SIDNEY HILLMAN FIGHTS RIGHT TO WORK IN CALIF.

Sidney Hillman's national political action committee has entered the fight against the right to work amendment, Proposition 12 on the November ballot, it was revealed today by E. C. Kimball, chairman of the right to work committee.

"Official reports filed with the secretary of state according to law show Hillman's gang have put up $5000 to deprive Californians of their right to work unless they join a labor union," Kimball said.

"The CIO has not come out in the open with their financial support, but now the secretary of state has released the information, we find CIO unions in Detroit, Pittsburgh and Washington are contributing $5000 each to the campaign," Kimball declared.

"California workers will be interested, I think, in finding out that these eastern union bosses are attemping to dictate this involuntary servitude for Californians,' Kimball said.

"The record shows the AFL committee had spent more than $113,-000 on advertising against Proposition 12 up to September 28,' Kimball stated.

"This advertising is misleading. It does not actually meet the issue of individual freedom of choice by every person. I urge the voters not to be misled, but to read Proposition 12 and make up their minds," Kimball declared.

FUNERAL FOR LATE GIOCOMO FONTANA SET

Funeral service in St. Canice Church under direction of Holmes Funeral Home will be held tomorrow for the late Giocomo Fontana who passed away Tuesday in a local hospital. Rev. Virgil Gabrielli will conduct the service at 2 p. m. and interment will be in the Catholic Cemetery.

The deceased was a native of the Austrian Tyrol, aged 77 years. He came to this country when 25 years of age. He purchased a farm in Indian Flat in 1902, but in 1926 purchased a home at 238 Sacramento Street where he and his family have resided since. In recent years he had been engaged in the lumber business.

Surviving are his wife Mrs. Mary Fontana and two sons, Alfred of Nevada City and Aladin Fontana of Stockton.

VOLUNTARY REFUND BY S. F. SHERIFF

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 26—San Francisco's sheriff, Dan Murphy, has set a precedent of some sort by obtaining from the city and county board of supervisors legislation permitting him to turn into the municipal treasury $44,932.02 of unwanted fees.

The fees legally accrued to Sheriff Murphy from the time of his election in 1936 to June 30 of this year, under state statutes and the city charter, for transportation of persons committed to state institutions. Sheriff Murphy contended his $8000 annual salary amply compenstated him for the transportation of such persons and for years he has sought to refund to the city the added fees awarded him by the state.

Not until the board of supervisors acted last week was Sheriff Murphy successful. The refund, if applied against his salary since his election, would mean that the city has had his services for $2000 a year for the seven and a half years since his election.

Billie Hullett, who was in North Africa many months and enjoyed a several day visit here with his mother, has returned to duty. He is in the U. S. Navy

PLENTY OF SPOTS EGAUGH CAN HIDE IN NEV. COUNTY

The murder of Henry Lewis, veteran of World War II on Sunday, October 15th, and the strong circumstantial evidence that Sheriff C. J. Tobiassen believes points toward big Bill Ebaugh, hermit of Willow Valley, has aroused wide interest in the tunnel in which Ebaugh made his hideout for more than a year.

The tunnel, reaching 150 feet into the hillside, is known as the Godenski tunnel, named after the man who ran it. During the prohibition era, the tunnel was used to hide a busy still that made high powered liquor for the country around.

The tunnel dug out of solid rock at least 30 years ago is on the Never Sweat claim that belongs to a big group of mines and mining claims belonging to the Valley Gold Mines Ltd. taken over some six years ago by the late Thomas F, Cole of the Phelps Dodge Company and now a part of his estate.

Sheriff Tobiassen points out that "gophering" done by miners over almost 100 years in this country makes it all the more difficult to apprehend a man of Ebaugh's character, who has lived in the woods so long that he has acquired many of the instincts of deiizens of the wild. There are countless tunnels of the same general kind as the Godenski tunnel which made such a snug home for Ebaugh through the cold freezing months of last winter. There are also innumerable cabins, abandoned by miners or prospectors and a large number of summer homes from which the owners have now departed.

While the sheriff's men were looking for Ebaugh during the last year, they ran onto his trail occasionally, where he had spent the night, or several nights in a cabin, an departing had robbed them of anything in the way of food or weapons he fancied. Ebaugh was charged with killing cattle last November and since that time has been missing from his cabin in Willow Valvey. Surprised by the sheriff and Game Warden Earl Hiscox, Ebaugh ran out the back door and leaped into the brush. He was seen briefly last Christmas Day in a cabin adjoining the Union Mine of Banner Mountain. He told the three men who stumbled on his hiding place then that he would never be taken alive.

BABY GETS BABY BOND 2 MINUTES AFTER BIRTH

Palema Ann Smith is a very tiny infant girl, but she holds a great bi record in the archives of the treasury's war finance committee of Northern California.

Not only is she the possessor of "baby bond" bought for her by he proud father, Edward Smith, but sh has the unique distinction of havin become its owner exacely two minutes after she first saw the light o day.

Pere Smith, who lives at 323 Star avenue, Vallejo, had read about th treasury's "cradle of honor" o which are inscribed the names of ne born babies whose parents, relative or friends buy war bonds in the honor.

He not only wanted his expecte child to be so honored, but he d cided to arrange things so that n time would be lost. Accordingly, the stork slowly neared the Smi manage, he deposited the necessa war bond money in his bank, with i structions that it should be conver ed into a baby bond the instant flashed the news.

Some weeks later, in a Valle hospital, a white clad nurse pok her head out of a thick wooden doo exclaiming:

"It's a girl."

Smith dashed for the telephon Two minutes later his savings h been converted into a baby bon And young Palema Anna became partner in her nation's struggle human liberty.

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THIS EXPECTED TO BE PEAK YEAR FOR CROPS

By RALPH H. TAYLOR

American farmers, who conquered the threat of serious wartime food shortages by a record of prodigious production unequalled in the world's history, have another tough nut to crack in the years just ahead—the problem of post war surpluses.

Every reliable signpost indicates that 1944 will stand out as the peak year of farm income in World War II, just as 1919 was the peak year in the first World War period, and that both farm income and farm production will start to fall off during 1945, dropping much more sharply in 1946 and 1947.

Since this writer, in a recent column, warned that surplus Army stores may be more than adequate to feed the people of Europe until they can get on their feet and supply their own needs—and cautioned against any careless assumption that a post war, world feeding program can be looked to as the solution of the problem of American farm surpluses—numerous inquiries have been received, seeking more specific information on present government holdings.

The figures are far from reassuring. The War Food Administration, at present, owns about 600 million dollars worth of food. While a small part of this supply is allocated for lend-lease, none is for the armed forces—and the bulk of it is characterized by competent authorities as "unmanageable surplus."

Here, commodity by commodity, are the figures on WFA holdings, entirely apart from any surplus stores the army may have when the war in Europe ends:

Cured meat 105,000,000 pounds; canned meat 196,000,000 ponds; frozen meat 38,000,000 pounds; canned fish 104,000,000 pounds; lard 509,000,000 pounds; canned vegetables 118,000,000 pounds; dried fruit 112,000,000 pounds; dry peas 413,000,000 pounds; dry beans 422-000,000 pounds; rice 142,000,000 pounds; dried milk 140,000,000 pounds; evaporated milk 213,000,-000 pounds; eggs, dry and frozen 181,000,000 pounds; cheese 54,000-000 pounds and sugar 214,000,000 pounds.

Attention also has been called in recent columns to the fact that there is a dangerous surplus of beef on the range throughout the country, despite the shortage of meat in the nation's butcher shops, occasioned by OPA rationing policies and a shortage of manpower in packing plants.

While the whole problem of post war food surpluses is, of course, complicated by uncertainty as to whom the European phase of the war will end, and what its impact will be on the nation's economy, it is expected that Army buying will fall steadily—perhaps to half of present levels—when the nazi end of the axis collapses and part of our huge establishment is demobilized.

The consensus of opinion in informed quarters seems to be that the Army, during 1945, will buy about three billion dollars less food than in 1944.

Now for a few comparisons to point up the drastic fluctuations which have taken place in American farm income during the cycle of the years embracing World War I, the depression decade—and World War II.

In 1919, the most prosperous year in American farm history, prior to this war period, farmers had $14,-600,000 in cash income from their marketings. After paying out $7,-700,000,000 to cover operating expenses, they had left $6,900,000,000.

In 1932, at the depth of the depression, farm cash income from marketings dropped to $4,700,000,-000. Operating expenses amounted to $3,500,000,000 leaving only $1,-200,000,000.

In this year of 1944 farm income from marketings and from government payments, it is estimated will amount to $21,000,000,000. Expenses will total $9,400,000,000 according to estimates, leaving a balance of $11,600,000,000 for farmers and the tax collector.

Venturing into the realm of prophesy, farm economists estimate that farm income for 1945 will drop to $17,500,000,000. What it will be in 1946 and 1947 no one is willing to forecast, but it is quite likely that those will be two of the most critical years in the history of American agriculture, as both the farming industry and the government seek to cope with the problem of disposing of surpluses and effecting a balance between supply and demand.

The government could take some of the hazard out of the future now by telling farmers exactly how it intends to dispose of its surplus food store. And it could also aid the situation in this writer's opinion, by putting a quick end to most of the food retioning so that some of the present surplus commodities could be consumed before the war ends. In a period of threatened shortages rationing could be justified, but where scarcity is supplanted by surpluses, there is no further excuse for limiting public buying. Not alone to aid the farmer, but to protect the nation from going into an economic tailspin after the war, the time to tackle the problem of surpluses is now, before it becomes acute.

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EDITORIAL BY A REPUBLICAN IN A REPUBLICAN PAPER

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By personal knowledge this is what we say of the campaign of Incumbent CLAIR ENGLE, a man doing a splendid job of representing OUR district. Hard-working, and sincere, Engle is not a politician, but a Representative. His indorsers are his own people—not someone from the South End of the State, or from San Francisco. The "mud" that a campaign clique appears to have prepared for Engle seems to have "splattered" over their man Mayo. The "Jap-loving" propaganda was worm-eaten wholecloth; the libel of the $120 Gold Club was another "deal," and the charge of absenteeism was an unclean myth. * * The State Senator-Printer appears to be doing all right for himself where he is; but we want Engle because he is a man OF us and FOR our interests. He has been truly representative and we have every reason to believe he will continue so to be.—GBR. in The Placerville Times.

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Well, a high-ranking officer wrote an answer to that; he called it nonsense. "What do our men want most? To finish the war and come home . . . What are they fighting for?...for everything the word home means."

Of course, the word "home" means something different to every fighting man. For home is a lot of little things! A garden or a work bench—well-thumbed books . . . a mellow glass of beer with friends.

But whatever they are, it's the memory of these small familiar things that he takes with him into battle. And it's these little things that link his thoughts to home—and to the familiar life that he looks forward to returning to.

Joe Marsh

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MORE LIGHT FOR GRASS VALLEY

The Grass Valley City Council has directed Superintendent of Public Works John Fontz to arrange for additional street lighting. Larger lamps were authorized for some streets and in other lights that have been turned off during the dimout were ordered cut in again.

Chief of Police Ben Jenkins requested a supply of handcuffs and billy clubs to bring the police equipment up to date. The request was granted.

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CALIFORNIA COMMITTEE FOR THE RIGHT TO WORK

E[illegible]L, CHAIRMAN

Obsequies Held For Late Elmer G. Miller

Last rites will be said this afternoon at the chapel of Hooper and Weaver Mortuary for the late Elmer George Miller who passed away in a Los Angeles hospital October 21. Rev. Frank Buck, rector of the Emmanuel Episcopal Church, officiated. Interment was in the Elm Ridge Cemetery.

Miller, a veteran of World War I, had been ill several months. He was a native of Grass Valley, aged 51 years. He leaves a brother, Earl Miller of this city and a sister Mrs. Mattie Peters of Sacramento.

BIRTH

FREY—In Nevada City, Nevada County, October 22, 1944, to Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Frey of Penn Valley, a son.

Garden Club Enjoys A Chrysanthemum Tea

The Nevada City Garden Club held its annual Chrysanthemum Tea last week at the home of Miss Emma Ramm on Grove Street. A profusion of beautiful chrysanthemum blooms were shown in many varities. Included among them were an early English chryanthemum from the gardens of Mr. and Mrs. Richard J. Bennetts. Some of these blossoms had been open since the first of Septemeber.

Mrs. Colyn Tamblyn gave an interesting talk on chrysanthemums and their culture. The group then visited the chrysanthemum garden of Mrs. Fred Tredennick on Clay Street.

LIEUT. DONALD KNOWLTON

FORT SILL, Okla., Oct. 25—First Lieutenant Donald E. Knowlton, Nevada City, has been assigned to the staff and faculty of the Field Artillery School at this post.

Lieutenant Knowlton, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Knowlton 19 Pierce St., Petaluma is a graduate of the University of California. He has participated in three campaigns and is the recipient of the Distinguished Service Cross. He and Mrs. Knowlton and son, David Lee, reside at 1016 Maple Street, Lawton, Oklahoma. He has reported here from Fort Bragg, North Carolina.

Mrs. Irene Wasley Will Be Borne To Rest

The late Mrs. Bertha Irene Wasley will be borne to rest tomorrow afternoon following services in the chapel of Hooper and Weaver Mortuary at 2 p. m., Rev. Patrick O'Reilly will officiate and burial will take place in the Odd Fellows Cemetery.

The deceased was the wife of Cpl. Howard K. Wasley now serving with the U. S. Army in Great Britain. Her mother, Mrs. P. S. Coleman of St. Louis, Missouri, four sisters and one brother alos survive.

Mrs. Wasley had been ill for several months and passed away at her home, 503 Sacramento Street, at 3:20 p. m. Tuesday afternoon.

33,816 DEER KILLED TO OCT. 20

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 25—The count of deer killed during the 1944 season from tags turned in to the State Division of Fish and Game is 33,816 as of October 20. To the same date in 1941, 40,957 deer were reported killed.

Nor. San Juan Makes 100 Pct. Contribution

Fred E. Conner, chairman of the War Chest committee, reported yesterday that every family on San Juan Ridge had contributed to the $100-.35 which had been turned into the general committee, headed by Charles F. Parsons in Nevada City.

Conner stated that this 100 per cent community donation was something new in charity annals. He expecially commended the teachers and students in the Nor. San Juan and Birchville schools.

RECEPTION FOR REV. O'REILLY

A reception for Rev. Patrick O'Reilly was held Wednesday evening in Serra Hall, welcoming the new pastor of St. Patrick's Parish to his post in this city. There was a large attendance of friends and members of the parish.

The clergyman was given another reception today by the Sisters of Mercy and students of Mount S. Mary's Academy.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

EZELLE-SNYDER — In Nevada City, Nevada County, October 25, 1944, Edward Everett Ezelle, 24, of Grass Valley, and Nine Betty Snyder, 18, Grass Valley.

The population of Palestine is composed of 900,000 Moslem Arabs, 550,000 Jews and 125,000 Christians.

The Navy plans to build a $6,-500,000 hospital of 1000 beds in San Francisco after the war.

WHOLE WHEAT BREAD IS REAL SAFF OF LIFE

BERKELEY, Oct. 23 — Whole wheat bread, because of its cheapness and bundance, is one of the most important protective foods, according to Dr. Samuel Lepkovsky, associate professor of poultry husbandry on the Berkeley campus of the University of California.

If the diet of the American public included a generous portion of whole wheat bread, the vitamin B complex with the exception of riboflavin, would automatically be taken care of and losses in cooking would not have usch a serious effect on the diet. Milk would supplement the wheat by making good the riboflavin deficiency and add enough calcium to make it adequate.

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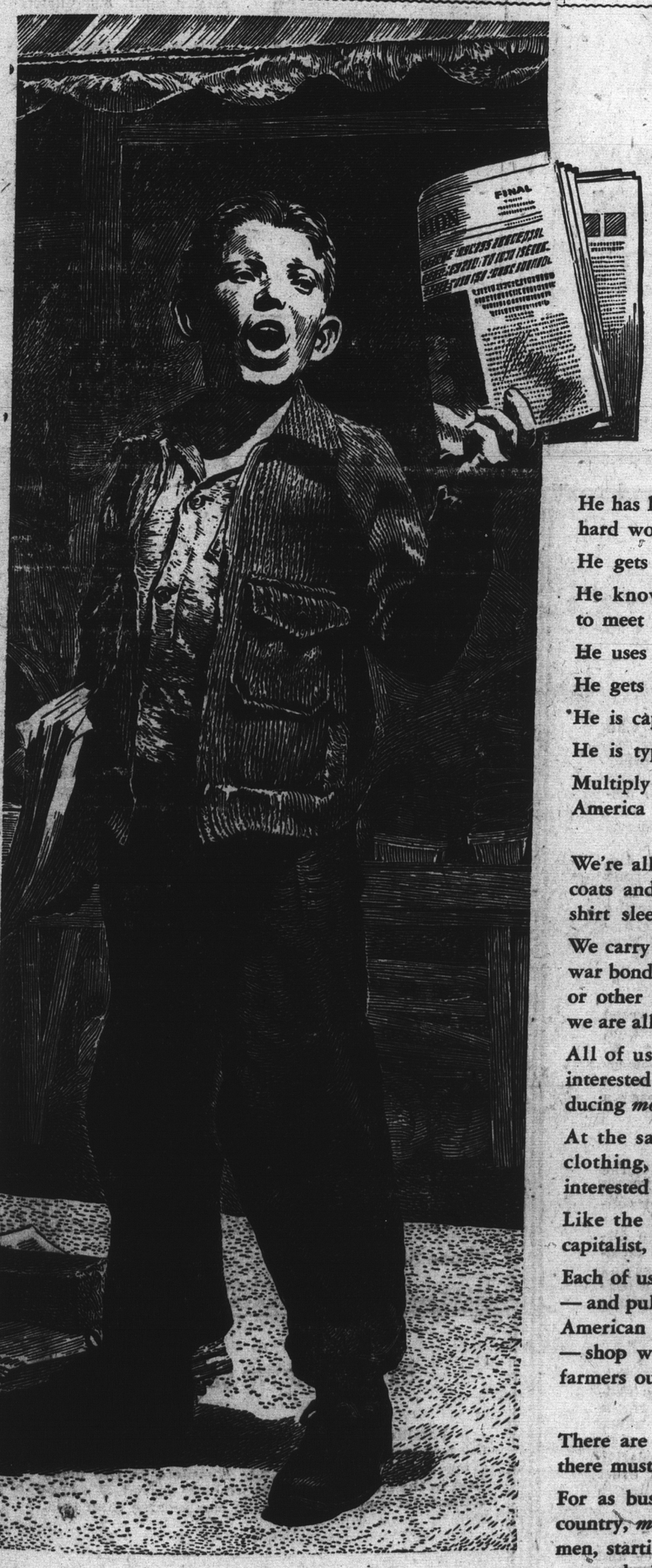
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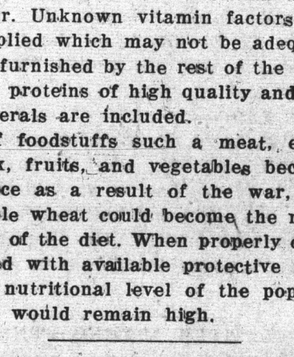
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"Everlasting punishment" will be the subject of the lesson sermon Sunday, October 29 in all churches of Christ Scientist branches of the Mother Church. The First Church of Christ Scientist in Boston. The golden text will be: "Wherefore doth a living man complain a man for the punishment of his sins? Let us search and try our ways and turn again to the Lord," Lam. 3:39:40. Other Bible citations will include: "Cast away from all your transgressions whereby ye have transgressed and make you a new heart and a new spirit; for why will ye die O house of Israel? For I have no pleasure in the death of him that dieth, saith the Lord God: wherefore turn yourselves and live ye," Ezek. 18:31,32.

The lesson sermon will also include the following passage from the Christian Science text book by Mary Maker Eddy: "We acknowledge Gods forgiveness of sin in the destruction of sin and the spiritual understanding that casts out evil as unreal. But the belief in sin is punished so long as the belief lasts, p. 497.

WITH OUR BOYS AND GIRLS IN GLOBAL WAR

Leland Thompson—

Leland Thompson son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Silva of this city, wrote home recently he had been promoted to sergeant. He is at Cherry Point, North Carolina and is in the U. S. marine air corps.

Edward Jacobs—

Cpl. Edward Jacobs son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jacobs of Park avenue, is in England and where he has been many months. He is now a postal clerk in an officers club.

George Jacobs—

Cpl. George Jacobs, second son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Jacobs, is a guard at the prisoners camp at Ft. Missoula, Mont. He was home on furlough recently and enjoyed his stay in his home town.

Carl Hieronimus—

Pfc. Carl Hieronimus, son of Mr. and Mrs. Simon Hieronimus of this city, is now somewhere in France. He writes home that there is lots of rain and mud is knee deep. He is in the anti aircraft division of the U. S. Army.

Bill Usrey—

Bill Usrey in the U. S. navy somewhere in the South Pacific wrote to Mrs. Paul Jurkovich in the last few days stating he had had a nice visit with her son, Bill Laird, U. S. marine. Usrey is on the U. S. S. Achilles nad Laird is on the U. S. S. While in a South Pacific port he learned Laird's ship was in port and enjoyed a fine visit with him, being shown all over it. He stated Laird looked fine and grown taller. Usrey had received a leter from Milly and Eddie Skoglie former Nevada City residents. Ed Skoglie is on the U. S. S. Alabama and has a San Francisco address.

Bill Laird—

Bill Laird, U. S. marine and son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jurkovich of Park Avenue has not seen his family for two years and has been overseas seventeen months. He recently enjoyed a seven day liberty in Australia.

RgLATIVES ATTEND FUNERAL

Out of town relatives who attended the funeral of the late Charles Deal, brother of Mrs. Al Williams of Park Avenue, were: Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Deal, Jake Deal, of Forest; Mr. and Mrs. Lester Deal, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Deal of Greenville; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Roy, Hazel Vance, of Georgetown; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Deal, and Mrs. Roy Hayhurst of San Rafael; Mrs. Fred Kendall, Richard Phillips, Clarence Turner, Will Turner, Camptonville; Mr. and Mrs. W. Hart of Alleghany. Nearly all of this group are brothers and sisters of the deceased.

PERSONALS

Mrs. R. J. Ronchi of Folsom is on a visit in Nevada City with her sisters, Mrs. Anna Tucker and Mrs. J. P. Muscardini and brother S. Hieronimus and families.

Ted LeMaire of San Francisco is on a visit here among his friends.

Ed Martine who has been at Camptonville for some time, spent Wednesday in Nevada City and on Thursday went to Truckee to continue work with the forest service.

Mrs. Irvine Cook of Oakland was a visitor in this city the past week end. Upon her return home she was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Jim Young, who had spent the summer months in her home on Coyote street.

County Assessor P. G. Scadden left early this week for the assessor's convention in Sacramento.

Miss Elma Hecker, county treasurer is enjoying a two week's vacation.

Art Baker, local business man and family who purchased the Pete Stanovich home on upper Boulder street recently have moved and are comfortably settled.

Judge Warren Steele of Yuba County presided in superior court Friday for Judge George L. Jones who was absent due to the death of his brother, Dr. Carl P. Jones. Upon motion of Attorney Lynne Kelley court was adjourned out of respect to the memory of the late Doctor C. P. Jones.

H. F. Sofge received word of the sudden death of Ed Fennon of Sacramento who dropped dead early last week. He was district manager of the state chamber of commerce and a young man. Fennon has visited here and the news of his passing came as a shock.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Myers came up from Burlingame the latter part of last week. He is employed by a large steel company in the bay region.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Trosper of Oakland spent the past week end here with his aunt, Mrs. Adeline Curtis, He was called here by the authorities to identify articles believed stolen from his property six miles east of this city in Deer Creek canyon. He has had considerable household effects and food stolen from his cabin before. Trosper identified some of the items in the two truck loads at the court house. It is stated there are fifteen others claiming property was taken from their homes in the northeast district from Nevada City.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Myers of Gold Flat entertained at a family reunion and turkey dinner Sunday. Present were their daughter, and son in law Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Pederson and daughter Betty; their son and daughter in law, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Myers and four children.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Smith and son and daughter in law of Dobbins spent Sunday here visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Dunlap. Mrs. Smith is a teacher in the Dobbins school and aunt of Mrs. Dunlap.

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POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENT

An Open Letter to Hon. Clair Engle

HON. CLAIR ENGLE,

CANDIDATE FOR CONGRESS,

DEAR SIR:-

Your public statements and accusations made at Yreka on October 5, attacking the personal honesty of Senators Charles Brown, Inyo County, Jerrold L. Seawell, Placer County and myseld in connection with the Senaee Committee on Post-War Construction, are absolutely false and known to you at the time to be an absolute untruth.

For myself, I expected nothing less. But when you attack the personal character and honesty of honorable public servants of the caliber of Charles Brown and Jerrold L. Seawell, men who were serving the public well and honorably when you were a little boy, then you have hit a new low in common decency. Your slanderous statements were, also indirectly an attack upon the integrity of Senators Randolph Collier, Siskiyou, H. E. Dillinger, El Dorado and Oliver Carter, Shasta. All have been repeatedly honored by their districts and who sat with the Senate Committee as ex-officio members.

Mr. Engle there are many public questions upon which you and I sharply disagree, and upon which we may debate publicly. However, in debating these issues with you, I have not and do not now publicly or privately question your personal honesty, nor have I implied that your decisions upon these questions were motivated by other than that of your own personal judgement.

You and I have a public legislative record, mine extends over a period of 12 years, yours almost 2. In that time, we have both taken a stand upon many public issues. You have not only a moral right, but duty to point out any defects in my public record and I assume you grant me the same right. But in doing that. I had hoped we could keep the campaign upon a plane of common decency. For my part, I shall continue to do just that.

For the benefi tof debate, here are some of the public questions which profoundly affect the lives of our people and upon which you and I sharply disagree:

GOLD MINING LEGISLATION

On February 7, and again on February 24, 1944, the Congressional Record shows that you voted AGAINST legislation designed to aid the gold mining industry, which provided reserves could be set up to provide money to carry on development work. You have also publicly endorsed and promised to support a heavy federal tax upon newly mined gold.

As a resident and senator in a district largely dependent upon a resumption of gold mining after the war, I am naturally violently opposed to your stand upon this subject. In congress I shall at all times oppose any special tax on newly mined gold.

LUMBER LEGISLATION

On February 7, and again on Feb. 24, 1944, the Congressional Record also shows that you voted AGAINST legislation designed to aid in perpetuating the lumber industry, which provided the industry could take an off-set in tax returns in order to provide funds for reforestation.

Here, again, living in a county where the lumber industry is providing a large payroll, I am of course in total disagreement with your vote upon this question. I would have voted in FAVOR of such legislation.

VETERAN'S LEGISLATION

On January 26, 1944. you were one of 33 Congressmen who voted AGAINST the final enactment of the $300 mustering out pay law, for discharged service men and women. On three other laws vitally effecting the lives of service men and their widows and orphans, including the so-called "G. I. Bill of Rights" for discharged members of our armed forces of this and the last war, you were ABSENT and did not participate in securing the enactment of these measures.

Your stand upon veteran's legislation is therefore in sharp disagreement with mine. As a former service man, who experienced the problem of finding employment after discharge, I have a profound feeling in this matter and have proposed that the mustering out pay include 12 months pay in equal installments after discharge. I also strongly favored the "G. I." law and would have been present to support its enactment.

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On December 13, 1943, and again on June 14, 1944, you voted AGAINST legislation designed to increase gas and oil production, which it is claimed would have provided additional gas for "A" card holders. Knowing the plight of those living in remote places in this district who have to struggle on 2 gallons per week, I would have voted for increased production, even if it meant a slight increase in the prices of gasoline to the consumer.

ECONOMY IN GOVERNMENT

On January 25, February 15, March 10, March 22, 1944, the Congressional Record shows you voted AGAINST a REDUCTION in non-essential spending of public money by bureaus not connected with the war effort.

Again your stand upon a vital public question is in sharp disagreement with mine. In 1940-41, as a member of a joint legislative committee, I was one of 17 members credited with saving more than 200 millions of dollars for the state taxpayers. In congress I would vote against the present reckless spending of public money in non-war agencies.

BUREAUCRATIC POWER

The Congressional Record shows that you have voted consistently to grant UNLIMITED POWER to various bureaucratic Federal agencies over the lives of our people. Today that power is being used to strangle the little merchant, the cattle and sheep industry of this district.

I have always fought any proposal to delegate legislative power to bureaus and commissions. In Congress I would exert every power at my command to return the power of law-making to the elected representatives of the people.

OTHER PUBLIC ISSUES

There are other public questions upon which we disagree and which should be publicly discussed. Undoubtedly in my long legislative record, you could find matters upon which we disagree or upon which you may feel I used immature or bad judgement, if so, it is your right and duty to publicly call attention to those matters.

But slanderous attacks upon the personal honesty of myself or other members of the state senate who may be supporting my candidacy, have no place in this campaign. Character assassination, is the tool of a losing politician. Lets have no more such slander, but keep the campaign on a plane of common decency.

Respectfully yours,

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